



## Rochford District Council

# The Executive

### agenda

#### *Date*

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**2 April 2014**

#### *Time*

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**7.30 pm**

#### *Place*

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Committee Room 4  
Civic Suite  
Rayleigh

**The public are welcome to  
attend this meeting up to item 7**

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## **Terms of Reference**

- To make recommendations to the Council in relation to the functions contained in Part A to Part 3 of the Council's Constitution.
- Subject to those matters reserved to the Council in Part A to Part 3 of the Council's Constitution, the Review Committee functions and with the exception of those Council (non-Executive) powers specifically delegated to other forums set out in Parts A and C to Part 3 of the Constitution, the Executive has full power to act in respect of every other function.
- To refer at its discretion, any issue to the Review Committee for detailed consideration and report.
- To consider the recommendations of the Review Committee either arising from an issue referred to it as above, or where the latter Committee has "called-in" a decision of the Executive for review.

**The Council's vision is to make Rochford District a place which provides opportunities for the best possible quality of life for all who live, work and visit here.**

**The Council's objectives are to make a difference:-**

- to our community
- to our environment
- to our local economy.

**The Council's values (the way we work to pursue these objectives) are to:-**

- Be an open, accountable, listening, responsive Council
- Put the customer and citizen at the heart of everything we do, delivering services in a caring and sensitive manner
- Co-ordinate the management of resources with an emphasis on sustainability
- Value the contribution of partners, employees and citizens, trusting each other and working collaboratively.

## **A G E N D A**

Emergency evacuation announcement

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**1 Apologies for Absence**

**2 Non-Members Attending**

**3 Minutes of the Meeting held on 5 March 2014**

**4 To Receive Declarations of Interest**

**5 Matters Referred to the Executive and Reports from Other Committees**

**6 Rochford Growth Strategy 2014-2017**

6.1 – 6.21

To consider the report of the Head of Planning and Transportation on the Rochford Growth Strategy 2014 – 17 as the framework for promoting economic development in the District.

**7 Exclusion of the Press and Public**

To agree that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the remaining business on the grounds that exempt information as defined in paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 would be disclosed.

**8 Draft Open Spaces Strategy**

8.1 – 8.23

To consider the exempt report of the Head of Environmental Services on the draft Open Spaces Strategy being prepared for consultation.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Amar Dave', with a large, stylized flourish extending from the end.

Amar Dave  
Chief Executive